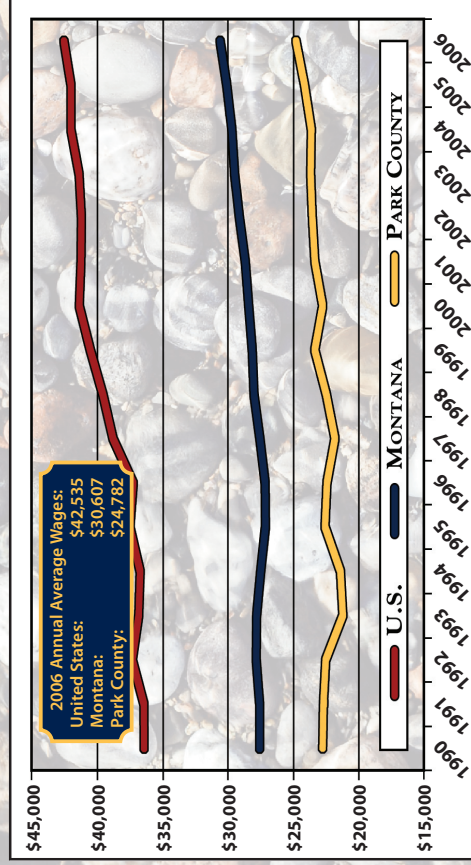


## Annual Average Labor Force - Park County

Year	Civilian Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
2006	9,320	9,041	279	3.0%
2005	8,949	8,612	337	3.8%
2004	8,760	8,389	371	4.2%
2003	8,482	8,094	388	4.6%
2002	8,621	8,226	395	4.6%
2001	8,698	8,290	408	4.7%
2000	9,051	8,589	462	5.1%

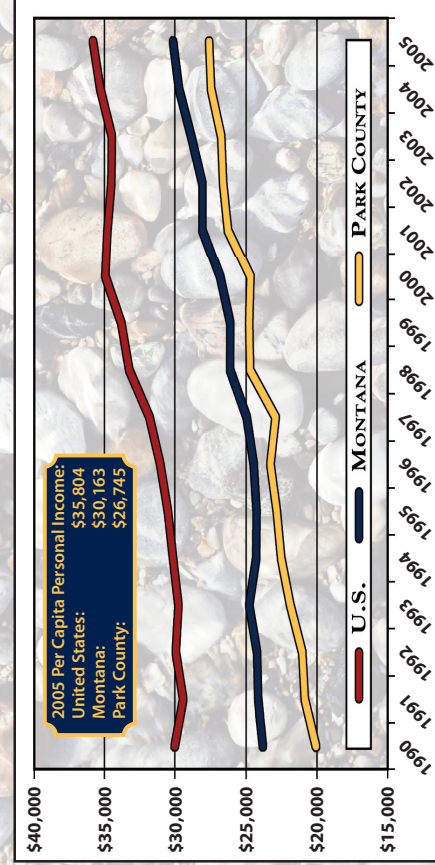
Source: Montana Department of Labor & Industry, Local Area Unemployment Statistics Program (LAUS)

## Annual Average Wages, 1990 to 2006 (In 2006 Dollars)



Source: Montana Department of Labor & Industry, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages Program (QCEW)

## Per Capita Personal Income, 1990 to 2005 (In 2006 Dollars)



Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis, U.S. Department of Commerce, Regional Economic Information System

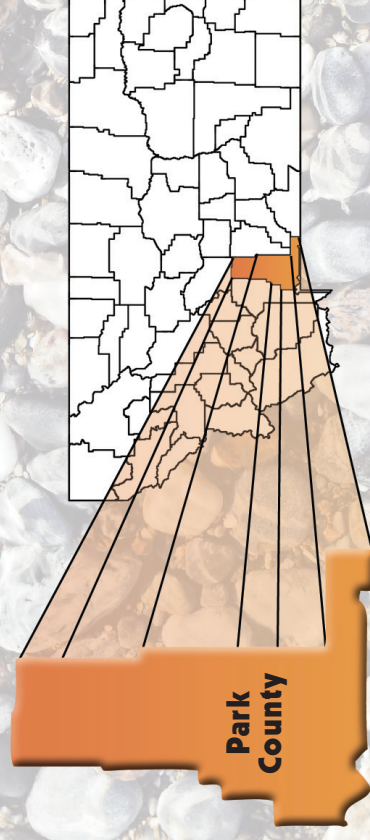
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## Demographic & Economic Information for

# Park County



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## PARK COUNTY

Park County is Montana's twelfth most populous county, with an estimated 16,084 residents as of July 1, 2006. Livingston, the county seat, is the state's thirteenth largest city, with a population estimated at 7,279 in 2006.<sup>1</sup> Other cities and towns in Park County include Clyde Park, Cooke City, Corwin Springs, Emigrant, Gardiner, Jardine, Pine Creek, Pray, Silver Gate, Springdale, and Wilsall.

Park County is named for Yellowstone National Park, with the southern edge of the county forming the northern edge of the park. The town of Gardiner boasts the original (and only year-round) entrance to Yellowstone Park. Yellowstone, being a major tourist draw, makes tourism and recreation an important part of Park County's economy. Other important industries include agriculture, logging, mining, and health care. Park County contains one hospital, two clinics, and four airports.<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>U.S. Census Bureau, *Population Estimates Program*

<sup>2</sup>[www.parkcounty.org](http://www.parkcounty.org)

## Resources for Park County

### Chamber of Commerce

Gardiner Chamber of Commerce  
P. O. Box 81, Gardiner, MT 59030  
(406) 848-7971, [info@gardinerchamber.com](mailto:info@gardinerchamber.com)  
[www.gardinerchamber.com](http://www.gardinerchamber.com)

Livingston Area Chamber of Commerce  
303 East Park Street, Livingston, MT 59047  
(406) 222-0850, [info@livingston-chamber.com](mailto:info@livingston-chamber.com)  
[www.livingston-chamber.com](http://www.livingston-chamber.com)

### Newspaper

Livingston Enterprise  
P. O. Box 2000  
Livingston, MT 59047  
Ph: (406) 222-2000  
Toll Free: (800) 345-8412  
Fax: (406) 222-8580  
[www.livingstonenterprise.com](http://www.livingstonenterprise.com)

### Economic Development

Gallatin Development Corporation  
222 East Main Street, Suite 102  
Bozeman, MT, 59715, Ph: (406) 587-3113  
[www.bozeman.org/cgi-bin/gdc/index.html](http://www.bozeman.org/cgi-bin/gdc/index.html)

Livingston Community Trust  
P. O. Box 1223, Livingston, MT 59047  
[www.livingstoncommunitytrust.org](http://www.livingstoncommunitytrust.org)

Northern Rocky Mountain RC&D  
502 S. 19th Street, Suite 105  
Bozeman, MT 59718, Ph: (406) 582-5700  
Small Business Development Center: (406) 922-0451  
E-mail: [info@nrmtcd.org](mailto:info@nrmtcd.org), [www.nrmtcd.org](http://www.nrmtcd.org)

### Job Service Workforce Center

Livingston Job Service Workforce Center  
220 East Park Street Livingston, MT 59047  
Phone: (406) 222-0520, Fax: (406) 222-1593  
[www.wsd.dli.mt.gov/local/livingston](http://www.wsd.dli.mt.gov/local/livingston)

## Employment by Industry - Park County 2006 (continued)

Industry	Number of Establishments	Average Annual Employment	Annual Wages Per Job
Truck transportation	12	15	\$22,145
Transit and ground passenger transport	2	*	*
Pipeline transportation	1	*	*
Scenic and sightseeing transportation	1	*	*
Couriers and messengers	2	*	*
Warehousing and storage	1	*	*
INFORMATION	19	89	\$35,118
Publishing industries, except Internet	4	*	*
Motion picture, sound recording industry	5	13	\$16,593
Broadcasting, except Internet	1	*	*
Internet publishing and broadcasting	2	*	*
Telecommunications	4	10	\$36,077
ISPs, search portals, & data processing	2	*	*
FINANCE AND INSURANCE	28	169	\$33,889
Credit intermediation & related activity	13	133	\$33,576
Securities, comm. contracts, investments	6	13	\$45,375
Insurance carriers & related activities	9	24	\$29,532
REAL ESTATE AND RENTAL AND LEASING	25	43	\$16,922
Real estate	21	27	\$17,869
Rental and leasing services	4	16	\$15,301
PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL SERVICES	70	188	\$32,970
MANAGEMENT OF COMPANIES AND ENTERPRISES	2	*	*
ADMINISTRATIVE AND WASTE SERVICES	30	142	\$23,721
Administrative and support services	27	*	*
Waste management and remediation service	3	*	*
EDUCATIONAL SERVICES	8	75	\$18,988
HEALTH CARE AND SOCIAL ASSISTANCE	41	670	\$30,845
Ambulatory health care services	21	173	\$25,206
Hospitals	1	*	*
Nursing and residential care facilities	7	139	\$17,806
Social assistance	13	*	*
ARTS, ENTERTAINMENT, AND RECREATION	52	184	\$20,209
Performing arts and spectator sports	9	18	\$20,541
Museums, historical sites, zoos, & parks	4	8	\$21,167
Amusements, gambling, and recreation	40	158	\$20,126
ACCOMMODATION AND FOOD SERVICES	111	1,265	\$13,301
Accommodation	43	530	\$17,785
Food services and drinking places	69	735	\$10,069
OTHER SERVICES	66	356	\$20,000
Repair and maintenance	22	80	\$21,417
Personal and laundry services	9	59	\$22,001
Membership associations & organizations	22	188	\$19,164
Private households	13	30	\$17,557
TOTAL GOVERNMENT	40	781	\$31,527
Local Government	18	631	\$28,462
State Government	10	69	\$45,118
Federal Government	12	81	\$43,913

The OCEW program compiles data reported by all employers covered under Montana unemployment insurance. (Totals may not add due to nondisclosure of confidential industry data or to rounding.)

## Employment by Industry - Park County Annual Averages

Industry	Number of Establishments	Average Annual Employment	Annual Wages Per Job
TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES	846	5,941	\$24,782
TOTAL PRIVATE	806	5,160	\$23,762
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, FISHING & HUNTING	35	152	\$23,104
Crop production	4	13	\$28,376
Animal production	19	109	\$22,394
Forestry and logging	7	21	\$23,302
Fishing, hunting and trapping	1	*	*
Agriculture & forestry support	5	*	*
MINING	3	7	\$15,977
UTILITIES	6	42	\$44,425
CONSTRUCTION	130	553	\$27,830
Construction of buildings	47	*	*
Heavy and civil engineering construction	8	*	*
Specialty trade contractors	75	341	\$30,865
MANUFACTURING	33	351	\$32,583
Food manufacturing	4	21	\$36,916
Textile product mills	3	5	\$9,182
Leather and allied product manufacturing	1	*	*
Wood product manufacturing	1	*	*
Printing and related support activities	3	*	*
Nonmetallic mineral product mfg	1	*	*
Primary metal manufacturing	1	*	*
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	1	*	*
Machinery manufacturing	3	3	\$37,143
Computer and electronic product mfg	2	*	*
Electrical equipment and appliance mfg	1	*	*
Transportation equipment manufacturing	5	33	\$37,968
Furniture and related product mfg	4	*	*
Miscellaneous manufacturing	4	24	\$30,236
WHOLESALE TRADE	19	41	\$32,683
Merchant wholesalers, durable goods	5	5	\$64,315
Merchant wholesalers, nondurable goods	10	30	\$30,579
Electronic markets & agents and brokers	4	5	\$16,730
RETAIL TRADE	112	766	\$20,511
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	11	114	\$27,880
Furniture and home furnishings stores	9	35	\$22,710
Electronics and appliance stores	1	*	*
Building material & garden supply stores	9	47	\$21,840
Food and beverage stores	13	190	\$18,431
Health and personal care stores	3	35	\$24,282
Gasoline stations	12	132	\$16,375
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	10	26	\$11,760
Sporting good, hobby, book, music stores	11	50	\$16,775
General merchandise stores	1	*	*
Miscellaneous store retailers	23	56	\$15,960
Nonstore retailers	8	48	\$30,872
TRANSPORTATION AND WAREHOUSING	18	35	\$20,612

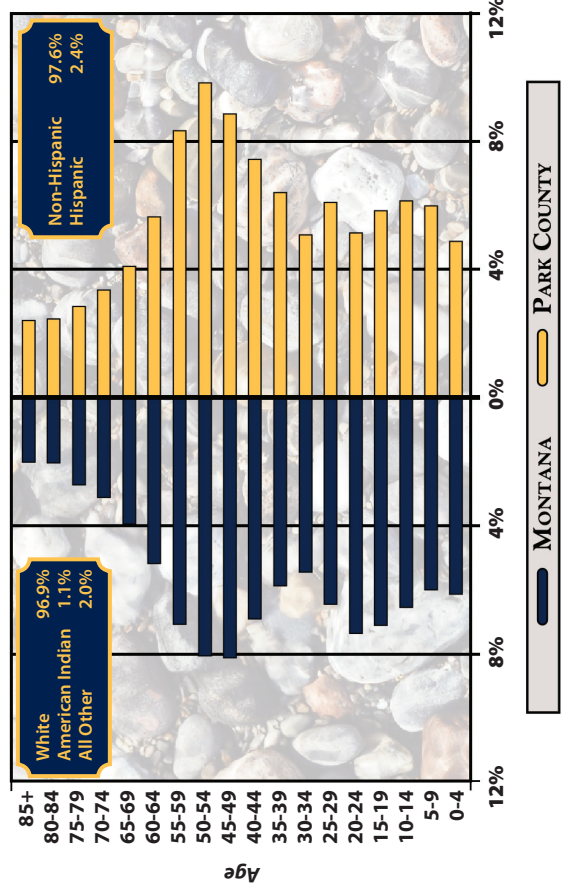
Source: Montana Department of Labor & Industry, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages Program (QCEW)  
\* Data Not Disclosable

## Population for Park County & Related Areas

Geography	% Change 2000-2006	Population Estimates						Census April 1, 2000
		July 1, 2006	July 1, 2005	July 1, 2004	July 1, 2003	July 1, 2002	July 1, 2001	
Park County	2.5%	16,084	15,965	15,774	15,777	15,833	15,726	15,694
Clyde Park town	11.9%	347	348	334	331	311	310	310
Livingston city	6.2%	7,279	7,146	7,052	7,046	7,047	6,974	6,851
Balance of Park County	-0.9%	8,458	8,471	8,388	8,400	8,475	8,442	8,533

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Estimates Program

## Distribution of Population by Age Montana and Park County, 2006



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2006 Population Estimates

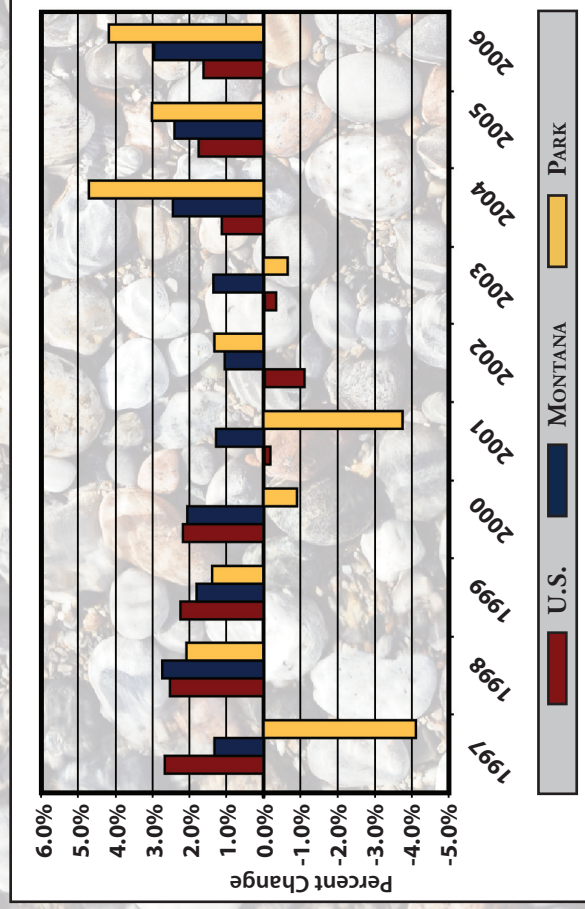
## Highest Level of Educational Attainment (Population 25 years and older)

Educational Attainment	Park County	Montana	U.S.
Less than High School Diploma	12.4%	12.8%	19.6%
High School Diploma (or equivalent)	32.3%	31.3%	28.6%
Some College	27.6%	25.6%	21.0%
Associate Degree	4.6%	5.9%	6.3%
Bachelor's Degree	15.9%	17.2%	15.5%
Master's Degree	4.8%	4.6%	5.9%
Professional Degree	1.6%	1.7%	2.0%
Doctoral Degree	0.7%	0.9%	1.0%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000



## Percent Change in Employment: 1997 to 2006 U.S., Montana, and Park County



Source: Montana Department of Labor & Industry, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages Program (QCEW)

## Top 10 Private Employers in Park County (Based on 2nd Quarter 2007 Data - Listed in Alphabetical Order)

Business Name	Size Class	Business Name	Size Class
Albertson's	5	Evergreen Healthcare	5
Best Western by Mammoth Hot Springs	5	Livingston Healthcare	7
Chico Hot Springs	6	Montana's Rib and Chop House	5
Church Universal & Triumphant	6	Mountain Sky Guest Ranch	5
Community Health Partners	5	PrintingForLess.com	6

Employment Size Class Coding: Class 9 = 1000+ employees, Class 8 = 500 to 999 employees, Class 7 = 250 to 499 employees, Class 6 = 100 to 249 employees, Class 5 = 50 to 99 employees, Class 4 = 20 to 49 employees, Class 3 = 10 to 19 employees

Source: Montana Department of Labor & Industry, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages Program (QCEW) This list includes ONLY private industry employers subject to unemployment insurance. Railroads and government agencies are excluded.

## Agricultural Statistics - Park County

Farms	
Farms: (number)	527
Land in farms (acres)	847,067
Average size of farms (acres)	1,607
Farms by size: (number)	
Less than 1,000 acres	360
1,000 acres or more	167
Farms by value of products sold and government payments received: (number)	
Less than \$100,000	467
\$100,000 or more	60
Farms by type of organization: (number)	
Family, Individual, Partnership	474
Corporation, Cooperative, Trust	53

### Livestock Inventory and Crops Harvested

Livestock and Poultry Inventory (number)	
Cattle and calves	39,667
Hogs and pigs	(D)
Sheep and lambs	2,104
Horses and ponies	3,694
Bison	346
Chickens (layers and broilers)	1,150
Crops Harvested (acres)	
Corn for grain	0
Corn for silage or greenchop	(D)
Wheat for grain, All	8,718
Winter wheat for grain	3,684
Durum wheat for grain	0
Spring wheat for grain	5,034
Barley for grain	7,716
Oats for grain	573
Sunflower seed, All	0
Soybeans for beans	0
Hay, hayslage, grass silage	62,144

### Operator Demographics

Primary occupation: (number)	
Farming	284
Other	243
Place of residence: (number)	
On farm operated	465
Not on farm operated	62
Years on present farm: (number)	
Less than 10 years	163
10 years or more	364
Age group: (number)	
Under 55 years	256
55 years and over	271
Average age of operators: (number)	55.7

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, National Agricultural Statistics Service, 2002  
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